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Sir:

This is an information disclosure statement submitted in compliance with the timing requirements of 37 C.F.R. §1.97(b)(1).

Attached are copies of one Taiwanese patent and one European patent. These patents are listed on the attached Form PTO-1449. Any relevance of the Taiwanese patent can be gleaned from the attached English-language abstract. Also listed on the Form PTO-1449 for consideration are two U.S. patents and one U.S. publication. Any relevance of European patent and U.S. documents are self-evident. Any further relevance of all documents can be gleaned from pages 1 to 4 of the specification of the present application, where these documents are discussed.

Since this Information Disclosure Statement is being filed with the application, no certification or fee is required, and the requirements of 37 C.F.R. §§1.97 and 1.98 are deemed to be fully met as to the documents submitted. Consideration of the submitted and listed documents is respectfully requested.

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